

Explanation of Key Changes in Measures Targets from FY 2008 to FY 2009

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Office of Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substances

Annual Commitment Code	Commitment Text	FY 2007 Result	FY 2008 Target	FY 2009 Target	Explanation
261	BTUs of energy reduced, conserved, or offset by P2 program participants.(Billions of BTUs)	818 B*	2,240 B	1,985 B	The P2 program is working towards getting consistency of reporting throughout the Regions. They are working with the Regions to get reasonable distributions within their grant reporting with better defined criteria and therefore due to this improved reporting exercise, the targets for FY09 are lower. Also, while the ACS target may be lower than FY08, the P2 program will meet the annual PART commitments.
CR2	Number of States that the Region has assessed to determine if they have the capacity to implement the pesticides Container-Containment rules.	N/A (starts in FY08)	24	Reporting	This measure is being changed to a reporting measure since this activity reflects the on-going coordination that Regions will have with states and the Region's assessment about whether the states have the capacity to implement the Container-Containment regulations (note: this is not a formal determination, like the determinations of equivalency for existing state pesticide containment regulations or the determinations of adequacy for state residue removal compliance programs that will be made in FY 2008)

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*Partial results: At time of compilation 7 of 10 regions have data included. This number will be updated as more information becomes available.